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- 1775—A British naval force made an unsuccessful attack on Gloucester, Mass.
- 1812—U. S. frigate Essex captured the Alert, the first vessel taken from the British in the war of 1812.
- 1818—Sir Peregrine Maitland appointed Lieutenant Governor of Upper Canada.
- 1846—Americans under Commodore Stockton and Major Fremont, captured Los Angeles.
- 1877—Chauncey Rose, founder of Rose Polytechnic Institute, died in Terre Haute, Ind.; born in Wethersfield, Conn., Dec. 24, 1794.
- 1890—First annual convention of letter carriers of the United States held in Boston.
- 1898—Manila surrendered to the American forces after a short land fight and bombardment by the fleet.
- 1908—Ira D. Sankey, noted evangelist, died in Brooklyn; born in Ebensburg, Pa., Aug. 28, 1840.
- 1912—"Maud," the mill in the News office got to bucking and John Thrasher, the machinist had to get out of a sick bed and come down and coax her to her oats.

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AGREED ON THE INDIAN BILL

HOUSE AND SENATE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE WILL SIGN AGREEMENT TODAY.

Washington, Aug. 13.—The Indian appropriation bill, which has been in conference since July 30, has been agreed to and is to be signed today, if the Senate and House conferees are still of a mind to sign the measure when the time comes. Those having the bill in charge are jubilant over the termination of their hard-fought battle, but today were disturbed over the report that the Republican conferees have been persuaded not to sign the conference report.

Indian Agencies.
The hitch is over the provision abolishing the Indian agencies, involving a salary roll of \$100,000. That was one of the reforms of the House Democrats, and have been insisting upon, just as they are insisting upon the abolishment of pension agencies, which has deadlocked the two houses of congress over the big pension bill. Outside of the controversy over the Indian agencies, the house and senate are in full accord, the latter having yielded on practically every point of importance.

The Senate Indian appropriation bill appears to have been prepared with a view of trading off everything so as to hold the agencies, with their string of employees and their \$100,000 pay roll. The House bill aggregated \$8,000,000, but the Senate ran that total up to exceeding \$16,000,000; then when the bill went to conference the Senate yielded on almost everything except the agencies. Accordingly the bill which the conferees are expected to sign today will show, among other things, the following changes and concessions:

Concessions Are Made.

The Senate gives up the demand for \$3,000,000 for payment of the Ute Indian claim and accepts an appropriation of \$100,000 on account for these Indians, which the House is willing to give.

The Senate recedes unconditionally on the John West claim from Oklahoma for \$10,000.

The Senate recedes from its demand for a \$1,500,000 irrigation scheme for the Yakima Indians in Washington.

The Senate yields to the House in the matter of the Hampton school for colored children and agrees to having the 120 Indians in that institute sent to Carlisle.

Finally the Senate agreed to give up the sixteen Indian agencies and save \$100,000 on that item, after which it was decided to sign the conference report today.

The House readily agreed to the Gore amendment appropriating \$100,000 for Indian school children in Oklahoma.

The Senate further yielded to the House and accepted the provision that no money shall be expended out of the tribal funds of the Indians unless authorized by specific appropriation by Congress, except for school purposes.

Improvements at the Oil Mill.

Manager Wingo states that the oil mill is being repaired and overhauled in general. Five new lint machines are being installed also. In fact, everything is being put in readiness for the large crop of cotton that seems now assured.

That college professor that, through mere logical reasoning, forecasted more than a year before the Baltimore convention that Wilson would be nominated must have known what he was doing. The same reasoning that forecasted the nomination of Wilson might be applied to a forecast of his election in November.

Notice to Parties Holding Claims Against the City of Ada:

Notice is hereby given to the parties holding claims against the Fire and Water Fund of the City of Ada, that cash is now available sufficient to pay all warrants issued against said fund prior to June 1st, 1912, and including all numbers unpaid up to 251. Present warrants at this office.

JOHN H. JONES,
Commissioner of Accounting and Com. of Accting & Finance.

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A NOTABLE CELEBRATION AT HALIFAX

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 13.—Hundreds of noted visitors from various parts of the Dominion of Canada, from Great Britain, and from many parts of the United States have arrived here to take part in the celebration tomorrow and Thursday in connection with the dedication of the monumental tower which was erected on the wooded shores of the beautiful Northwest Arm, back of this city, to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the first meeting of the Provincial Legislative Assembly of Nova Scotia. Some of the most distinguished visitors, among them being his royal highness, the Duke of Connaught, governor general of Canada, who has consented to officiate at the exercises, are not expected to arrive until tomorrow, the opening day of the celebration, but the arrangements are fully complete and everything in readiness for the historic commemoration.

His royal highness, the Duke of Connaught, will arrive tomorrow morning, and elaborate preparations have been made for his reception. Militia will line the streets between the dock yard and the city hall while his highness rides from the landing place to the municipal building, where he will be officially received by the mayor and aldermen of Halifax. Among the noted visitors who have already arrived are the Lord Mayor of Bristol, England, Sir F. Wills, the wife of the mayor, Palliser Martin, chairman of the Bristol chamber of commerce, and H. L. Riseley, who will officially represent the city of Bristol at the celebration. Bristol is especially interested in the celebration because it was from Bristol that John Cabot and his son, Sebastian, started on their memorable voyage, which led to the discovery of Canada. The Bristol delegation is the bearer of the gift of Bristol, a memorial tablet in bronze, commemorating the discovery by the Cabots, and two large flags, fac similes of the one presented to John Cabot by Henry VII. They also bring with them the gift of Bath, England, consisting of a large, handsomely framed photograph of the ancient Roman Bath, from which the city derived its name. These gifts will be properly placed on the memorial tower to be dedicated tomorrow. The structure occupies a conspicuous place on the beautiful site donated for the purpose by Sir Sanford Fleming.

The city of Halifax was founded in 1749 by a colony sent from England under the command of Colonel Edward Cornwallis and soon thereafter the settlement was strengthened by the arrival of a number of settlers



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who came from the New England colony. Close relations were maintained between Nova Scotia and the Massachusetts colony. While Charles Lawrence was governor of Nova Scotia, the Lords of Trade instructed him to organize the judiciary of the province. Jonathan Belcher, son of the old Massachusetts governor of that name, was appointed chief justice of the oldest English judiciary in Canada.

Shortly after he assumed the chief justiceship Belcher wrote to the Lords

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of Trade questioning the constitutional right of the governor and council of the province to pass laws without an assembly. The Lords of Trade submitted the matter to the crown; her majesty's attorney general and solicitor general were appealed to, and the decision of the government was that the governor and council alone were not authorized to make laws. As some statute had already been passed in this irregular manner in Nova Scotia, the home government in communicating its decision to Justice Belcher cautioned him not to make this public until after an assembly had been formed.

To this decision of the government, Governor Lawrence opposed his judgment that the calling of an assembly was not practicable, since but one township, Halifax, had been created, and not advisable, since it would

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Monday the House unseated Congressman Catlin, of Missouri, because he had spent too much money to be elected. It would seem that in these days money makes the politician as well as the mare go.

Ada has never yet fallen down on a proposition and it now looks as if the Confederate reunion will be the most successful affair ever pulled off at this place, where success and not failure is the rule.

Press dispatches are to the effect that the populists are holding their national convention at St. Louis. The 100 delegates in attendance, when contrasted with the crowds of other days reminds one of a ghost that

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REPUBLICAN PARTY OF TEXAS SPLIT

Dallas, Texas, Aug. 13.—At a meeting of the Republican State Executive committee here Monday the two Texas factions of the party split after a heated discussion resulting from the ruling of State Chairman Cecil Lyon. Members of the Taft faction protested against the ruling of Mr. Lyon because of his activity in behalf of Theodore Roosevelt. Policemen appeared in the hall, but were not called upon to act. Shortly after the executive committee divided into two parts.

Separate meetings were held. Each side claimed the victory.

The trouble started over Chairman Lyon's ruling on proxies which he claimed were not valid. John E. Elgin questioned the authority of Roosevelt men, saying:

"There are many men here who participated in the progressive proceedings at Chicago; they are not Republicans and I challenge them all. None should be allowed to have a vote in committee. Chairman Lyon himself, is an adherent of the Bull Moose party and has no right to vote."

"I was elected to this position by the Republicans of Texas and I did not go to Chicago to get my authority," said Chairman Lyon. "I certainly intend to exercise my authority."

Lyon then ruled Elgin out of order. Elgin refused to be ruled out of order and continued his speech. A heated discussion followed. The state Republican convention will be held here Thursday.

Advocates Leaves of Soap.

A chemical friend of the Scientific American suggests that a campaign be started against the common cake of soap. About 50 years ago there was sold a form of soap for travelers, consisting of a booklet, about two inches by four inches, in which small leaves of soap paper saturated with soap were bound. Each leaf contained enough soap for one washing of the hands. It is suggested that one might profitably dispense, through a penny-in-the-slot machine, a paper towel in which is folded a sheet of soap paper, for convenient use in public lavatories.

All Doing It.

If you boil it down until it is good and thick you will find that 98.7 per cent of human energy is dedicated to the interesting job of people trying to get each other's money or chattels.—Houston Post.

The News Shop for Job Work

Time Table of All Trains Arriving at Ada, Okla.

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS RY.

SOUTH.

No. 111 Lv. Daily.....11:25 A. M.

No. 113 Lc. Daily.....10:55 P. M.

NORTH

No. 112 Ar. Daily.....4:10 P. M.

No. 114 Ar. Daily.....4:31 A. M.

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL RAILWAY

TRAIN GOING EAST.

12 Lv. Daily.....2:55 P. M.

TRAIN FROM EAST.

11 Ar. Daily.....10:05 A. M.

TRAIN GOING WEST.

3 Lv. Daily.....3:30 P. M.

TRAIN FROM WEST.

4 Ar. Daily.....2:55 P. M.

FRISCO.

NORTH BOUND.

508—Eastern Express.....10:30 A. M.

610—Metcoer.....4:05 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

509—Metcoer.....11:35 A. M.

507—Sherman Exp.....4:53 P. M.

LESSON OF INTEREST

FIGURES THAT ARE CALCULATED TO STAGGER IMAGINATION.

What Old King Midas Might Have Accumulated Starting With the Modest Saving of Ten Cents a Week.

Why didn't King Midas, the gold lover, try to save ten cents a week? says the Chicago Tribune. He could have given the world a wonderful example of the value of the saving habit. Besides, he would have left money for the members of his family alive today. Midas was one of the kings of Phrygia. As the Phrygian line was wiped out by the Cimmerians about 670 B. C., we may assume he lived about 800 B. C., or at least 2,711 years ago.

If King Midas had started in saving ten cents a week he would have saved a dime, therefore, on each of the 140,870 weeks. This would make him the neat little sum of \$14,087.20. Although not a fortune in these days, \$14,087.20 is quite a fair sum to save by giving up one cigar a week. But there is more to follow.

In those days of political upheaval and commercial uncertainty, capital was entitled to a bigger return on its investment than it would be today. The risk was much greater. Though we have no actual records of Phrygian rates of usury, it is fair to assume that the Midas' account drew ten per cent. Interest compounded annually for at least the first 2,000 years, or until the commercial world had reached a comparatively recent stage of development.

Beginning, therefore, 800 years before Christ, Midas put into his savings ten cents every week. At the end of the first ten weeks he had a dollar. The interest on one dollar for one year is not great, even at ten per cent., but it adds another dime to the ten already saved. At the end of the second year there is something more than two dimes to be added.

At the end of the first hundred years the accumulation on the first dollar, at ten per cent. compounded, would be \$13,780.66. Thus Midas, in the year 700 B. C. would have had \$13,780.66, resulting from his first ten weeks' savings. The compounding goes on through the next century so that at the end of 200 years, in the year 500 B. C., Midas would have had \$189,906,590.04 from his first dollar.

At the end of the next hundred years, or in 400 B. C., the results from those first ten dimes put away would be \$2,619,038,149.1063. Continuing this compounding through the following 2,411 years it is not a complicated mathematical problem to arrive at the sum Midas would have today from his first one dollar saved.

Remember, moreover, this sum, which would be up among the uncountable trillions of dollars, would represent the increment of only one dollar put away by Midas. Midas himself, busily saving dimes, would have started a new series of dollar pyramids every ten weeks. At the end of the first year's saving he would have started five and a half of these stupendous fortunes. To compare any one of these with the \$14,087.20 he would have saved if he had received no interest, certainly represents the interest habit in a favorable light.

Tribute to the Onion.

Kill the onion and you leave a gap in the universe. Kill anything else and there is a substitute. The potato is akin to the cereals, squash and cabbage and turnips and cauliflower are of the same family, beans are elongated peas, the lemon is a pessimistic orange, beef reincarnated grass, watermelons just the survivor of a very fit cucumber, and so on. But the onion is sui generis, alone, unique, triumphant. It is a special creation to tempt the palate of a weary world. It proves the futility of man's wisdom. He might have guessed at everything else under the sun, but he would have never guessed an onion. Science may deduce a new star before it becomes visible, but this succulent, fragrant, starchy vegetable would have gone uninvited forever, had not its own insinuating, yet not bashful qualities forced themselves into tear-brimmed eyes and luscious anticipatory lips. With what a mixture of gratitude and awe should we view the spectacle of the nature turning her energies to the transmuting of mere clay into a vegetable with an artistic temperament.

American Architecture.

"There is an American architecture," said the traveler, "but not many Americans will believe it until they have taken a course in moving picture shows in foreign countries. That was what convinced me. Owing to ignorance of foreign languages we sought most of our dramatic entertainment in Europe from the cinematograph. No matter where we went one-half the pictures were American. Sometimes they were so labeled, sometimes not, but whether they were or not we soon learned to tell American pictures by the architecture. Sky-scrapers, of course, were the chief distinguishing mark, but high-steepled stone houses and frame cottages with two or three wooden steps leading up to a porch were just as unmistakably American. All the way from Inverness to Cairo the minute we set eyes on one of those houses we knew we were looking at something that couldn't be duplicated outside the United States, and all the rest of the audience knew it, too."

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TY COBB STABBED BY A HOLD-UP MAN

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 12.—"Ty" Cobb was attacked and stabbed in the back by three unidentified men in Detroit early today while on his way to the train which was to bring him and the Detroit team to this city for an exhibition game yesterday afternoon. Cobb's agility saved him from serious injury and probable death. His injuries are slight.

Cobb, accompanied by his wife, was driving his automobile to the station, when three men ordered the car to halt.

The men were partly intoxicated and when the machine came to a stop Cobb jumped out and began to argue with the men.

The trio then demanded money from the ball player and with the demand all three made a lunge at Cobb. The "Georgia Peach" attacked the trio and then began a battle royal. One man was knocked down with a blow on the chin, then one of the others began to run while the third grabbed Cobb around the neck. They clinched.

While they were wrestling the thug pulled a knife and inflicted a wound in Cobb's back. Cobb finally shook off his assailant before he could cause any further injury.

Cobb was treated here on the arrival of the Detroit team. Two stitches were required to close the wound.

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	8 05	Tupelo	4 05				
	8 40	Stonewall	3 40				
	9 00	Frisco	3 27				
	9 20	Truax	3 14				
3 30	10 05	ADA	2 55	2 55			
3 50	11 15	Center	1 40	2 34			
4 02	11 35	Vannoy	1 25	2 20			
4 20	12 10	STRATFORD	12 55	2 02			
4 40	1 42	Byars	12 00	1 42			
5 07	2 05	Rosedale	11 15	1 17			
5 20	2 18	Vincennes	10 50	1 05			
5 40	2 40		10 30	12 50			
5 50	3 00	PURCELL	9 55	12 50			
6 00	3 15	Gibbons Spur	9 30	12 28			
6 10	3 35	Washington	9 17	12 20			
6 34	4 25	Blanchard	8 45	12 00			
6 52	4 55	Middleberg	8 10	11 40			
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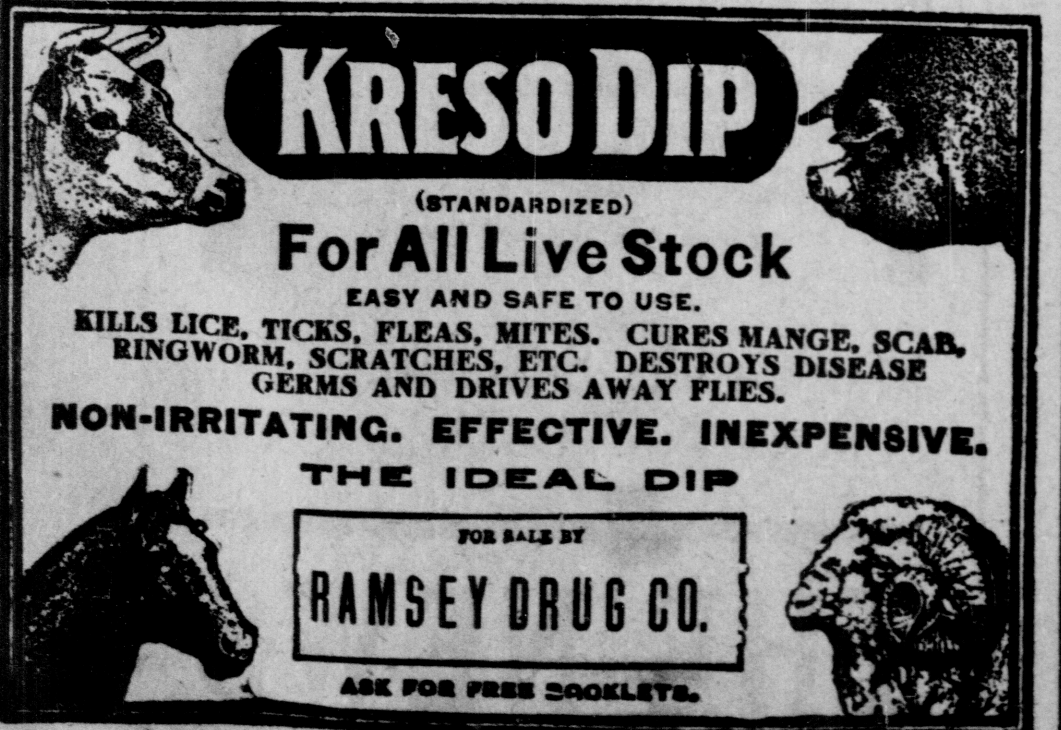
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Miss Maud Corey and Robert Den-
ton, who were guests of Miss Ruth
Gibson, returned to Collinsville, Tex.,
this morning.

Mrs. J. C. Van Meter and son,
"Bill," returned yesterday afternoon
from an extended visit to Quanah,
Texas, and Fletcher, Oklahoma.

J. R. Lambert, of Steedman, passed
through this morning en route to
Fannin county, Texas, where he was
called by the illness of his daughter.

J. E. McMurray and family, who
were here on a visit to W. J. Coffman
and wife, returned to their home at
Putnam, Texas, this morning.

The retail clerks have elected J. B.
Emory to represent the Ada local at
the state meeting of the Federation
of Labor, which will be held at Shaw-
nee Aug. 17.

Marshall Jones, a former Normal
student, was an Ada visitor today.
Marshall will always be remembered
as the first coach the Normal foot-
ball team ever had.

Joe Rushing is loading a car of
very fine peaches today. He esti-
mates his crop at 600 to 800 bushels.
He is one of the best fruit and truck
raisers in the county and never fails
to make something, no matter what
the season is like.

Rags Wanted—Will pay 2 cents per
pound for large clean cotton rags.
News office.

This evening the DeSota will show
a real Mexican bull fight. All the
exciting features are shown, but the
barbarous features are cut out. This
picture, consisting of two reels, was
taken at Mexico City on May 6, and is
entirely new.

GENERAL BUCKNER ACTIVE AT AGE OF NINETY

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 13.—General
Simon Bolivar Buckner, who admits
that he "mixed it up considerably"
during the Mexican and Civil wars,
and who served as governor of Ken-
tucky, after laying down his sword,
was in Louisville yesterday for a visit
to his soldier son, Simon Bolivar
Buckner, Jr., of Fort Thomas. As
soon as the general got squared
around at his hotel and had figured
as the center of an old-fashioned
levee, he said he intended to enjoy ev-
ery minute of his stay, despite his 90
years.

"You know," he confided to the
newspaper men, "I don't get old like
a lot of people. Why, I'm up till 12
o'clock or later every night reading
the newspapers and magazines, and I
find plenty to keep me awake."

General Buckner figured as vice-
presidential candidate on the gold
Democratic ticket in 1896. He says he
is as keenly interested in politics as
he ever was. He declares he's "strong
for Wilson."

One of the reporters who said he
was tired of politics, asked the gen-
eral "to tell some war stories."

"Oh, Lord, son, I could tell you
lots of war stories," said the general,
"but, thank God, war times are all
over, I hope. Now we are all Ameri-
cans and our battles are common."

The reference to "battles" appeared
to remind the general that he was
once editor of the old Louisville
Courier for he told several stories il-
lustrating the point that there have
fine art of gunnery was necessary for
fine art of gunnery was necessary for
the successful operation of a newspa-
per. The general returned to his
rural home in Kentucky today.

"I was cured of diarrhoea by one
dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera
and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes M. E.
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EXCISE BOARD APPROVES ADA CITY ESTIMATES

The county excise board has ap-
proved the estimates of the city com-
missioners and made a levy of \$1.81
on the \$100 valuation. The total for
all purposes, state, county, city
and school, will probably run about
three per cent, but even then the total
amount paid by the taxpayers will be
shade less than last year, the increas-
ed rate being due to a lower valuation
of property than in 1911, when the
state board raised it.

Notice.

W. C. T. U. meeting will be held
with Mrs. J. B. Giles, on East 14th
street, Wednesday afternoon at 4
o'clock.

"A Nation's Peril," the picture at
the Majestic last evening, proved a
popular number, drawing a full house
which fully appreciated the great pic-
ture. The blowing up of the launch,
on which were the spies with infor-
mation for the enemy, was a wonder-
ful scene in itself. Gale & Gale, the
fun makers, certainly made good their
title and will appear again this even-
ing with a complete change of pro-
gram. Good picture program also, in-
cluding Pathe's Weekly and "The
Man Under the Bed," a rich comedy.

Notice, Knights of Pythias!

The meeting of this evening will be
one of importance and all members
of the order are urged to be present.

Our want column is at your ser-
vice and it works day and night. Tel-
ephone No. 4.

Reed & Earl, the vaudeville stars,
will shine at the Lyric this evening
in an entirely new act. They are rich
and will keep any audience in a roar.
In addition there will be 3,000 feet of
the best moving pictures.

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A Common Sense Treatment Quickly
Relieves All Distressing Symptom

If you have any symptoms of cat-
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the head, profuse discharge from the
nose, phlegm in the throat, causing
hawking and spitting, dull pain in the
head or ringing in the ears, just
anoint the nostrils or rub the throat
or chest with a little Ely's Cream
Balm, and see how quickly you will
get relief.

In just a few minutes you will feel
your head clearing, and after using
the Balm for a day or so the nasty
discharge will be checked, the pain,
soreness and fever will be gone, and
you will no longer be offensive to
yourself and friends by constant
hawking, spitting and blowing.

Shake off the grip of catarrh be-
fore it impairs your sense of taste,
smell and hearing and poisons your
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ease by using Ely's Cream Balm. The
healing, antiseptic Balm does not fool
you with short, deceptive relief, but
completely overcomes the disease. It
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FRISCO BALLOT BOX ORDERED OPENED

This afternoon Judge McKeown, on
petition of C. T. Angel, candidate for
the Democratic nomination for state
committeeman from Pontotoc county,
issued an order directing the county
election board to open the Frisco box,
on which the election hinges, and
take out the returns and declare the
result. According to the reported
vote at Frisco, this will have the ef-
fect of nominating C. T. Angel by
three votes, W. H. Braley being two
votes in the lead without the Frisco
box, and Angel reported to have car-
ried it by five.

R. M. Roddie and B. C. King ap-
peared as voluntary counsel for the
election board, that body being inter-
ested no further than to wish to pro-
ceed according to law. Roddie filed a
demurrer, alleging that the statutes
did not provide for the placing of the
name of candidates for state commit-
teeman on the ballot, and that they
are not candidates within the mean-
ing of the term. Attorney Holt read
some authorities to the contrary, and
Judge McKeown overruled the de-
murrer and held that he had the au-
thority to order the box opened, ow-
ing to the fact that the returns which
had been sent in having been acciden-
tally lost. Roddie wanted an ex-
ception, but Judge C. T. Barney, mem-
ber of the election board stated that
the board did not want it. Roddie
then entered a motion to make W. H.
Braley a party to the suit, but was
again overruled, the court holding
that he could not be a party until the
final result was declared and a con-
test entered. He then ordered as
above stated.

Just why a champion of the right of
the people to rule should object to
hearing from every box in the county
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LARD'S SNOW LINIMENT to all
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It Beets All

This afternoon T. M. Scarlet, who
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the News office a specimen of sugar
beet that beats anything likely to be
seen this year. It weighs nine pounds
and three ounces, and grew without
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Constipation is the starting point
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healthy keep the bowels active and
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accumulations in the bowels and put
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SENATE PASSES THE PARCELS POST BILL

Washington, Aug. 13.—The senate
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House parcel post provision in the
postoffice appropriation bill.

The Bourne-Bristow plan would di-
vide the country into eight zones,
within a fifty-mile radius the rate to
be five cents for the first pound and
three cents for each additional pound
of fourth-class matter. A graduated
rate to cover the other zones would
increase to 12 cents per pound in the
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vent or cure the disease. It drives
out the impurities on which the ma-
larial germ thrives, strengthens the
liver and cleanses the bowels. Price
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Judge J. E. Grigsby and wife made
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No. 5 Velve Syrup, per can	35c	High grade Peaberry Coffee	25c
15c can No. 3 Standard Tom- atoes, per can	10c	25c can (25 oz) K. C. Bak- ing Powder, per can	20c

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by Joseph C. Lincoln

Author of
Cy Whittaker's Place
Cap'n Eri, Etc.

Illustrations by
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(Continued From Monday)

"So Nat grabs the wheel and 'Bije leans forward and sends the two fo'mast hands aloft on the jump. Zach was skipper, but all he done was race around and holler and trip over his own feet. It hit 'em 'fore they got even one top's clewed down. That one, the foretop's 'twas, split to rags. The main top's 'twas set, and when the squall struck, the rotten old topmast went by the board 'Kerrash-o!' 'Course splinters flew like all possessed, and one of 'em, about a foot long, sailed past Nat's head, where he stood heav'nly his whole weight on the wheel, and lit right on the binnacle, smashin' it to matches.

"Well, there they was, afloat, but with their upper riggin' gone and the compass smashed flat. A howlin' no'th-wester blowin' and fog thick as ever. Zach was a whimperin', fidgetin' old woman, Lafayette and Emulous was prayin' in the scuppers—and that ain't an exercise they're used to, neither—even 'Bije was mighty shook up and worried—he says he was himself. But Nat Hammond was as cool and refreshin' as the bottom of my well up home.

"Then Nat suggests gettin' the spare compass and, lo and behold you! there wa'n't any. Compasses cost money and money's made to keep, so Zach thinks.

"So there they was. Wind was fair, or ought to be, but 'twas blowin' hard and so thick you couldn't hardly see the jib boom. Zach he wanted to anchor, then he didn't, then he did, and



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Overdrafts	2,845.50		59.86
Bonds, Securities, etc.	14,043.82	20,517.84	24,643.99
United States Bonds	17,500.00	17,500.00	17,500.00
Bank Building and Fixtures	15,066.70	14,000.00	21,191.94
Other Real Estate	480.75	1,730.75	1,167.50
Cash on Hand and With Other Banks	58,657.69	124,688.24	160,348.22
Total Resources	\$249,935.45	\$381,515.52	\$443,504.26
LIABILITIES			
Capital	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
Surplus	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
Undivided Profits	4,991.31	11,295.16	16,574.07
Circulation	17,500.00	17,000.00	17,500.00
Bills Payable	25,000.00	None	None
Deposits	142,444.14	293,220.36	349,430.19
Total Liabilities	\$249,935.45	\$381,515.52	\$443,504.26

The substantial growth made by this bank each year as shown by the above comparative statement is another good reason why you should become one of our satisfied customers. Eventually you expect to open an account with us. Why not now.

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packet was a bit of seamanship which every man and woman on that foam-bordered stretch of sand could understand and appreciate, and the minister's indiscretion was all but forgotten in consequence. The "Daily Advertiser" gloated over it, of course, and Captain Elkanah brought it up at the meeting of the parish committee, but there Captain Zeb Mayo championed the young man's course and proclaimed that, fur's he was concerned, he was for Mr. Ellery more'n ever. "A young greenhorn with the spunk to cruise singlehanded right into the middle of the Come-Outer school and give an old bull whale like Eben the gaff is the man for my money," declared Zeb. Most of his fellow-committee agreed with him. "Not guilty, but don't do it again," was the general verdict.

Keziah watched anxiously for a hint concerning her parson's walk in the rain with Grace, but she heard nothing, so congratulated herself that the secret had been kept. The tide at Trumet, on the bay side, goes out for a long way, leaving uncovered a mile and a half of flats, bare and sandy, or carpeted with sea oed. Between these flats are the channels, varying at low water from two to four feet in depth, but deepening rapidly as the tide flows.

The best time to visit the flats—tide serving, of course—is the early morning at sunrise. Then there is an inspiration in the wide expanse, a snap and tang and joy in the air. Ellery had made up his mind to take a before-breakfast tramp to the outer bar and so arose at five, tucked a borrowed pair of fisherman's boots beneath his arm, and, without saying anything to his housekeeper, walked down the lawn behind the parsonage, climbed the rail fence, and "cut across lots" to the pine grove on the bluff. There he removed his shoes, put on the boots, waded through the mealy yellow sand forming the slope of the bluff, and came out on the white beach and the inner edge of the flats. Then he splashed on, bound out to where the fish weirs stood, like webby fences, in the distance.

A cart, drawn by a plodding horse and with a single individual on its high seat, was moving out from behind the breakwater. Some fisherman driving out his weir, probably. The minister had been on the bar a considerable time before he began to think of returning to the shore. He was hungry, but was enjoying himself too well to mind. The flats were all his that morning. Only the cart and its driver were in sight and they were half a mile off. He looked at his watch, sighed, and reluctantly started to walk toward the town; he mustn't keep Mrs. Coffin's breakfast waiting too long.

The first channel he came to was considerably deeper than when he forded it on the way out. He noticed this, but only vaguely. The next, however, was so deep that the water splashed in at the top of one of his boots. He did notice that, because though he was not wearing his best clothes, he was not anxious to wet his "other ones." The extent of his wardrobe was in keeping with the size of his salary.

And the third channel was so wide and deep that he saw at once it could not be forded, unless he was willing to plunge above his waist. He hurried along the edge, looking for a shallower place, but found none. At last he reached the point of the flat he was on and saw, to his dismay, that here was the deepest spot yet, a hole, scoured out by a current like a mill race. Turning, he saw, creeping rapidly and steadily together over the flat behind him, two lines of foam, one from each channel. His retreat was cut off.

He was in for a wetting, that was sure. However, there was no help for it. "Bije just stared at Hammond with his mouth open. 'Nat,' says he, 'you're a seaman, if I do say it. I thought I was a pretty good bay pilot, but I can't steer a vessel without a compass through a night as black as Pharaoh's Egypt, and in a thick fog besides, and land her square on top of her moorin's. If my hat wa'n't sloshin' around thirty mile astern, I snum it I wouldn't take it off to you this minute!'

The minister shut the door behind his departing guests. Then he went out into the kitchen, whither the housekeeper had preceded him. He found her standing on the back step, looking across the fields. The wash bench was untenanted. "Hum!" mused Ellery thoughtfully, "that was a good story of Captain Mayo's. This man Hammond must be a fine chap. I should like to meet him." Keziah still looked away over the fields. She did not wish her employer to see her face—just then.

"I thought you would meet him," she said. "He was here a little while ago and I asked him to wait. I guess Zeb's yarn was too much for him; he doesn't like to be praised." "So? Was he here? At the Regular parsonage? I'm surprised." "He and I have known each other for a long while." "Well, I'm sorry he's gone. I think I should like him." Keziah turned from the door. "I know you would," she said.

CHAPTER VI.

In Which Captain Nat Picks Up a Derelict.

It is probable that John Ellery never fully realized the debt of gratitude he owed to the fog and the squall and to Captain Nat Hammond. Trumet, always hungry for a sensation, would have thoroughly enjoyed arguing and quarreling over the minister's visit to the Come-Outer meeting, and, during the fracas, Keziah's parson might have been more or less battered. But Captain Nat's brilliant piloting of the old

it, so he waded in. The water filled his boots there, it gurgled about his hips, and beyond, as he could see, it seemed to grow deeper and deeper. The current was surprisingly strong; he found it difficult to keep his footing in the soft sand. It looked as though he must swim for it, and to swim in that tide would be no joke.

Then, from behind him, came a hall. He turned and saw moving toward him through the shallow water now covering the flat beyond the next channel, the cart he had seen leave the shore by the packet wharf, and, later, on the outer bar. The horse was jogging along, miniature geysers spouting beneath its hoofs. The driver waved to him.

"Hold on, mate," he called. "Belay there. Stay where you are. I'll be alongside in a shake. Git dap, January!"

Ellery waded back to meet this welcome arrival. The horse plunged into the next channel, surged through it, and emerged dripping. The driver pulled the animal into a walk.

"Say," he cried, "I'm cruisin' your way; better get aboard, hadn't you? There's kind of a heavy dew this mornin'." Whoa, Bill!

"Bill" or "January" stopped with apparent willingness. The driver leaned down and extended a hand. The minister took it and was pulled up to the seat.

"Whew!" he panted. "I'm much obliged to you. I guess you saved me from a ducking, if nothing worse."

The horse, a sturdy, sedate beast to whom all names seemed to be alike, picked up his feet and pounded them down again. Showers of spray flew about the heads of the pair on the seat.

"I ain't so sure about that duckin'," commented the rescuer. "Hum! I guess likely we'll be out of soundin's if we tackle that sink hole you was undertakin' to navigate. Let's try it a little further down."

Ellery looked his companion over.

"Well," he observed with a smile, "from what I've heard of you, Captain Hammond, I rather guess you could navigate almost any water in this locality and in all sorts of weather."

The driver turned in surprise.

"So?" he exclaimed. "You know me, do you? That's funny. I was tryin' to locate you, but I ain't been able to. You ain't a Trumetite, I'll bet on that."

"Yes, I am."

"Tut! tut! tut! you don't tell me. Say, shipmate, you hurt my pride. I did think there wa'n't a soul that ever trod sand in this village that I couldn't name on sight, and give the port they hailed from and the names of their owners. But you've got me on my beam ends. And yet you knew me."

"Of course I did. Everybody knows the man that brought the packet home."

The cart was afloat. The horse, finding wading more difficult than swimming, began to swim.

"Now I'm skipper again, sure enough," remarked Hammond. "Ain't gettin' seasick, are you?" The minister laughed.

"No," he said.

"Good! she keeps on a fairly even keel, considerin' her build. There she strikes! That'll do, January; you needn't try for a record voyage. Walkin's more in your line than playin' steamboat. We're over the worst of it now. Say! you and I didn't head for port any too soon, did we?"

"No, I should say not. I ought to have known better than to wait out there so long. I've been warned about this tide."

"Sh-sh! that's all right. Always glad to pick up a derelict, may be a chance for salvage, you know. Here's the last channel and it's an easy one. There! now it's plain sailin' for dry ground."

The old horse, breathing heavily from his exertions, trotted over the stretch of yet uncovered flats and soon mounted the slope of the beach. The minister prepared to alight.

"Captain Hammond," he said, "you haven't asked me my name."

"No, I seldom do more'n once. There have been times when I'd just as soon cruise without too big letters alongside my figurehead."

"Well, my name is Ellery."

"Hey? What? Oh, ho! ho! ho!"

He rocked back and forth on the seat. The minister's feelings were a bit hurt, though he tried not to show it.

"You mustn't mind my laughin'," explained Nat, still chuckling. "It ain't at you. It's just because I was wonderin' what you'd look like if I should meet you and now—Ho! ho! You see, Mr. Ellery, I've heard of you, same as you said you'd heard of me."

The minister, who had jumped to the ground, looked up.

"Captain Hammond," he said, "I'm very glad indeed that I met you. Not alone because you helped me out of a bad scrape; I realize how bad it might have been and that—"

"Sh-sh, sh! Nothin' at all. Don't be foolish."

"But I'm glad, too, because I've heard so many good things about you that I was sure you must be worth knowing. I hope you won't believe I went to your father's meeting with any—"

"No, no! Jumpin' Moses, man! I don't find fault with you for that. I understand, I guess."

"Well, if you don't mind the fact that I am what I am, I'd like to shake hands with you."

"Nat reached down a big brown hand. 'Same here,' he said. 'Always glad to shake with a chap as well recommended as you are. Yes, indeed, I mean it. You see, you've got a friend that's a friend of mine, and when she guarantees a man to be A. B., I'll ship him without any more questions.'

Breakfast had waited nearly an hour

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when the minister reached home. Keziah, also, was waiting and evidently much relieved at his safe arrival.

"Sakes alive!" she exclaimed, as she met him at the back door. "Where in the world have you been, Mr. Ellery? Soakin' wet again, too!"

He told briefly the story of his morning's adventure. The housekeeper listened with growing excitement.

"Heavens to Betsy!" she interrupted. "Was the channel you planned to swim the one at the end of the flat by the longest weir leader?"

"Yes."

"My soul! there's been two men drowned in that very place at half tide. And they were good swimmers. After this I shan't dare let you out of my sight."

"So? Was it as risky as that? Why, Captain Hammond didn't tell me so. I must owe him more even than I thought."

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Populist National Convention.

St. Louis, Aug. 13.—About one hundred delegates from a score of states were in their seats today when the People's Party national convention was called to order by James H. Ferris, of Illinois, chairman of the national committee. The convention will make a presidential ticket and adopt a platform that will declare for the government control of railroads and other public utilities, the initiative, referendum and recall and various other measures of political reform.

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